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“IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC ASSIST  
DEVICE”

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

This is in response to an Office Action mailed 09/28/2004. Currently filed herewith are a Petition for a One (1)-month Extension of Time and check in the amount of \$60.00 for applicable fee. Please amend the claims as follows:

A listing of claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.

I, Patti L. Ross, hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the US Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date of my signature

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